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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA ORIGINAL

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

v.

DONALD D. MURRAY,

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Ed Smith
CLERK OF THE SUPPEME COURT

Respondent and Appellee.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT

Joslyn Hunt, Chief Appellate Defender and counsel of record for Defendant and Appellant, respectfully requests an extension of time until, September 15, 2010, in which to prepare, file, and serve the Appellant's opening brief in the above-entitled matter. In support of this motion, undersigned counsel respectfully submits the following affidavit.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of August, 2010.

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TOSKYN HUNT

Chief Appellate Defender

STATE OF MONTANA) : ss.

County of Lewis and Clark)

I, Joslyn Hunt, being first duly sworn upon my oath, depose and state as follows:

- 1. I am a licensed, practicing attorney in the State of Montana, and am currently employed by the Office of State Public Defender, Appellate Defender Office, as the Chief Appellate Defender.
- 2. In my capacity as Chief Appellate Defender, I have been assigned to handle the above-entitled matter.
- The Appellant's opening brief is presently due on August 16, 2010.
 Appellant previously requested and was granted an extension of 30 days.
- 4. The district court file and the transcripts have been reviewed.

 Research has been completed, and the opening brief has been drafted. An additional 30 days is necessary in order to provide the client sufficient time to review the drafted brief and discuss any questions or concerns he may have regarding the brief.
 - 5. I will work diligently to complete the matter in the time requested.
- 6. Opposing counsel has been contacted concerning this motion and does not object.

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SARAH J. BRADEN NOTARY PUBLIC for the State of Montana Residing at Helena, Montana My Commission Expires January 25, 2011	Sarah J. Braden Notary Public for the State of Montana Residing at

Further your affiant sayeth naught.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I caused a true and accurate copy of the foregoing Motion for Extension of Time and Affidavit in Support to be mailed to:

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